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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) by Express Mail is the incomplete patent application of:

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Title: SYSTEM FOR INTERNET CONNECTIONS, SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING INTERNET USER INFORMATION, METHOD FOR PROVIDING INTERNET USER PREFERENCE INFORMATION, AND METHOD FOR DISTRIBUTING DIGITAL CONTENTS USING THE INTERNET

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1a. This application is a [continuation/divisional/continuation-in-part] of prior Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_, priority from the filing date of which is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120. [Note: add cross-reference to specification upon filing or by amendment.]
- \_\_\_\_\_ 1b. This application claims the benefit of provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_, the benefit of which is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 1c. A copy of the request for a \_\_\_\_\_-month extension of time (including Check No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_) to extend pendency of the prior application to at least the filing date of this application is enclosed.
- X   2. An application consisting of 54 pages of specification and claims and 17 sheets of formal drawings is attached.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3a. A newly executed Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3b. A copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in the above noted prior application is attached. [Note: This application is a continuation or divisional, no new matter has been added to this application, and no new inventors have been named.]

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- \_\_\_\_\_ i. Please delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior application, such deleted person(s) not being an inventor of the subject matter claimed herein:  
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- \_\_\_\_\_ ii. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of this application and is hereby incorporated by reference herein.
- X   3c. A Declaration and Power of Attorney is not attached. Please file this application in the name of the inventors listed above.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4a. An Assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_ is attached. A Cover Sheet prepared in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.31 is attached to the Assignment. Please record this Assignment in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.11.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4b. The prior application was assigned to \_\_\_\_\_, by an assignment recorded at reel \_\_\_\_\_/frame \_\_\_\_\_.
- X   5. A filing date in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 is requested. The Express Mail Certificate appears below.
- X   6. Priority of Japan Patent Application No. 2000-099362, filed on March 31, 2000 and Japan Patent Application No. 2000-182692, filed on June 19, 2000 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119. Certified copies of the priority documents will be filed at a later date.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. The following additional documents are enclosed: .
- X   8a. Small entity status is asserted for this matter.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8b. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

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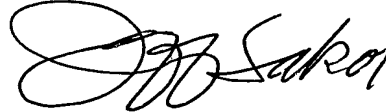
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